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Adelard E. Cote, Labor Commissioner
Department of Labor
Star Building
Pleasant Street
Concord, New Hampshire

Dear Mr. Cote:

In response to your request of October 5th, for an opinion concerning the application of chapter 288, Laws of 1955, to homes for the aged, please be advised that in the opinion of this office such homes are not exempted by this statute.

We are also of the opinion that your practice of considering the domestic and household labor exemptions as applying only to those in the home of the employer is correct.

Very truly yours,

Elmer T. Bourque
Law Assistant

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